AFRO Clean Block fund drive opens

Every year it is necessary to call on clubs, organizations, businesses and city government to contribute to the AFRO's Clean Block Prize Fund to provide paint, flowers to needy blocks and make sure that every block that works gets some kind of prize (see ad on this page.)

More than 52 blocks representing 693 persons have preregistered in the AFRO's 40th Annual Clean Block Campaign.

By registering early, blocks are getting a head start on bulk trash pick-up. If you are tired of living in dirt and filth, get out and talk with your neighbors. Fill out the coupon on this page and we'll send you all the necessary information on how to organize your block.

trash cans, window stickers, and captain's flags, and captain's flags.

Eddie Tombs, head of Concerned Neighborhoods, tells us that he has his block all ready to bulk trash pick-ups this Saturday, June 1. They held a meeting, and captains are knocking on doors asking all neighbors to pile trash neatly at back gates.

Leonard Folio of Department of Sanitation wants you to clean off vacant lots and put trash in one big pile. Do not block alleys. If there is too much trash, it will be picked up Monday and succeeding days until it is all cleared away.

From then on in, it's up to the block captains to see that trash is put out on regular days.

Blocks working in Concerned Neighborhoods are 3000, 3000, and 400 Forrest Park; 3800, 3900, 4000, 41 Norfolk; 3800, 3900, 4000 Fairview; 3800, 3900, 400 Bonner Road and parts of Walcott and Oakfield.

Garrison, Chelsea Terrace, Clean Block captains in East Baltimore who have not registered should get ready for bulk trash pick-up in the area of School No. 20, Federal and Eden Sts.

Wolfe and Washington Sts. are being planned now for June 15th. Harry Davis is planning Community Conversations with Robert Embry as guest speaker on the 13th at 4:30 p.m. in Turner Auditorium to help give the campaign a boost.

The first Clean Block meeting will be held the Friday after school closes on June 28th at 11 a.m. in the air-conditioned auditorium of McCulloh Homes.

New blocks this week

1900 E. 31st St. — Glenda Bunum, captain; La Dawn Fields, co-captain; and Ms. Grace Reid and Ms. Janet Pettaway, advisors.

Workers — Sharon Stewart, Patricia Williams, Althea Patterson, Paulette Smith, Anita Baxter, Katie Webb, LaDawn Fields Janet L. Pettaway, Ida James, James Williams Marie Carter, Angela Jackson, Yvonne Spencer, Patricia Gough, Jeanett Gough, Denise Newborn, John Miles, Mark Bynum, Phillip Alan, Adrienne Patterson, Cynthia Hinton, Deborah Hinton, Marie Williams, Tyron Williams, Julius Williams, Sandra Webb, Henry Williams, Frankie Williams, Arthur Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Williams, Ferman Grant, Varon Grant, Jackie Moore, Yvonne Moore, Yvette Johnson and Cardova Alan.

1800 N. Spring St. — Eddie Jacobs, captain; Shirely Jacobs, co-captain; and Ellen Jacobs, advisor.

Workers — Button, Wilbert, Hual, Lonnie, Perry, Pee-wee, Weaver, Charlie, Ramen, Mitie, Antwon, Kevin, Tracy, Tessie, Joannie, Samatha Shirley, Glendora, Kim, Charlene, Peach, Joann May, and Vester.

School No. 20, Sir Robert Eden, Eden and Federal Sts. visited the AFRO for the Newspaper In The Classroom program. Seated on floor are: Evon Dwight, Catherine Gray, Norma Johnson, Alma Delaney, Marguerite Young and Keith Thomas. Seated in chairs are: Valerie Lane, Eric Buckson, Rocelle Barrett, Darryle Eley, Clifton Thomas, and Tynette Edmonds. Standing: Mrs. Willie Alston, (teacher's asst.) Deborah Harris, Angela Gray, Loretta Morning, Regina Walton, James Osborne, Kenneth Thomas, Hilda Baker, Karen Alexander, Renee Glasgow, Rhonda Curry, Danny Austin, and Miss Joyce Dunston (teacher). School recently held AFRO Clean Block kick-off program.

Enoch Pratt

Saturday, June 1 the Pratt Library's Waverly Festival. The Pratt Library is co-sponsoring a neighborhood fair with Edmondson community organizations and merchants.

The festival will feature crafts exhibits, a magic show, movies, music by rock groups, a bake sale and a variety of other activities for all the family. Edmondson Village Shopping Center, 12-6 p.m.

Exhibit

Photographs by Barbara Young, at the Pratt Library's Pimlico Branch, through June.

All agencies of the Enoch Pratt Free Library will be closed on Monday, May 27, Memorial Day.

Monday, June 3

"A Balloon Goes Up" and "The Salvage Gang," films at the Pratt Library's Dundalk Avenue Branch, 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 5

"Blueberries for Sal," "The Foolish Frog," and "Whistle for Willie," films at the Pratt Library's Waverly Branch, 10:30 a.m.

Illustrated lecture on tourist attractions in Baltimore city by Marty Rennell of the Baltimore Promotion Council and film, "Come On Downtown," at the Central Pratt Library, Wheeler Auditorium, 2 p.m.

Thursday, June 6, 10:30 a.m. at the Patterson Park branch, Linwood Avenue and Fayette street "Hush Little Baby," "Many Moons," and "The Town Musicians."

AFRO GETS ROTC AWARD. Lt. Col. John H. Branch, Jr., second from left, professor of Military Science at Morgan State College, presents the Reserve Officers Training Corps Certificate of Achievement to the AFRO-AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS in recognition of meritorious support of the Army ROTC. Accepting the presentation on behalf of the AFRO is John H. Murphy, III, chairman of board looking on. Extreme left, Lt. Col. John B. Moorer, deputy chief of staff, publicity division of the Army ROTC, who was in Baltimore and toured the AFRO during his two day inspection tour of the Baltimore-Washington ROTC area. Others in photo are Second Lt. Roger Murphy Matthews, second from right, a June 1974 Morgan ROTC graduate, who was commissioned in the U.S. Army Reserves at Morgan State College and far right, Mel Butler, pres. of Mel Butler Associates, who is a minority contractor for ROTC.

TV Notes

A portrait of the late Mahalia Jackson, "Queen of the Gospels," who "spread the good news" from congregations in small churches to vast audiences throughout the world in concert halls and stadiums, and on radio and television and records, until her death in 1972, will be presented on the special CBS News religious broadcast, "Got to Tell It: A Tribute to Mahalia Jackson," Sunday, June2.

By Cynthia Stevenson

Miss Jackson's contralto voice will be heard singing 18 songs from her repertoire of several hundred, including "Go Tell It On the Mountain," "Down By the Riverside," "Didn't It Rain," "When the Saints Go Marchin' In," "A Closer Walk With Thee" and "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands."

Mahalia Jackson

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What the American viewer sees each evening on the home TV screen is television, but it is no longer the only kind of television that exists. "Video: The New Wave" explores a gallery of unusual alternatives Monday, June 3, on the Public Broadcasting System.

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A pretty teenager, missing for three weeks, tells authorities an eerie story of having been imprisoned by two sisters. She accuses her captors of being witches in "House of Evil," a "Wide World Mystery" on Friday, May 31.

Sidney Poitier

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A blind girl, Selina, suddenly discovers the world around her. She lives quietly with her slatternly mother and alcoholic grandfather in a sordid tenement.

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A beautiful young woman emerges from 34 years of frozen suspension into a shockingly new environment, finding that she is younger than her children and that someone is making attempts on her life, in "Live Again, Die Again," Saturday, June 1.

The never-never land of credit, where dreams of affluence crumble to the realities of finance charges and closing dates will be explored on "Consumer Survival Kit" Monday, June 3 on the Public Broadcasting System.

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Al Wilson

Kool and the Gang, Al Wilson and **The Natural Four** will add their unique singing styles to the exciting tempo of television's Soul Train this coming weekend.

Executive producer and host **Don Cornelius** has put together another "bad" musical dance variety show that Soul Train fans will definitely not want to miss.

Al Wilson, a frequent guest artist on Soul Train, certainly needs little introduction. However, it may come as a surprise to many people that at age 12 Al was earning money as a country and western singer and later formed his own spiritual quartet.

Pop, jazz, gospel, blues, hard rock and "funk" are all infused into his music, and it will be evident as he rendered two of his latest recordings, **"Touch and Go"** and **"Broken Home."**

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Robert Preston and **Sherley Jones** in the Academy Award-winning film, **"The Music Man,"** will be seen on TV's "Sunday Afternoon Show" Sunday, June 2.

Forest Park High School students Laughton Browne, Charlene Gordon and Joseph Reid lost a hard-fought match to competition from Southern Garrett High School on WBAL-TV's "It's Academic." The trio did earn a cash award to be used by their school's scholarship fund.

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Goucher grads told nation is too rigid

Dr. Phoebe Stanton, William R. Kenan Jr., professor of the History of Art at Johns Hopkins University, told 269 Goucher graduates Sunday that the nation is fast reaching a point where it cannot cope with changing times.

She said "The only way to test the value of an institution is to see the manner in which it solves problems. This nation has no answers to these problems."

Dr. Stanton, a former Goucher professor, said our modernized institution is a "selfish, taking rather than giving thing," and told the audience of over 700 that "we must learn to give in order to survive."

The University of London graduate ended her remarks by calling on old establishments to stop giving young people "non answers" and to start being receptive to change.

"If we continue to be rigid," she said, "change will cut us down."

LOYOLA GRADUATION

Appearing as the first female commencement speaker in the 122-year history of Loyola College, Dr. Faith D. Gilroy asked 722 graduates to reflect on the word "integrity."

"In this age, when lack of integrity in public officials is shaking the foundations of government, it seems appropriate to reflect on the term."

Dr. Gilroy, an associate professor of psychology at Loyola, said a person with integrity "trusts his own competence and looks upon his environment as challenging, yet friendly."

After her address, some 406 undergraduates received bachelor's degrees while 316 were awarded masters degrees from the school's graduate division.

4 Morganites awarded Fulbright fellowships

Professor Sandye McIntyre II, director of the Fulbright Fellowship Program at Morgan State College, announced recently that four Morgan State College graduates have been awarded fellowships for post-graduate study in the 1974-75 academic year.

Named for Sen. William Fulbright of Arkansas, these fellowships are considered among the most prestigious ones available to graduates of American colleges and universities.

The Morgan graduates named Fulbright Fellows are Ronald X. Roberson, art; Lucy Peebles, geography; Angela Ross, Spanish, all from Baltimore, Md., and Margaret Reichlyn of Provincetown, Mass., a French major.

Roberson will study art history in Belgium, while Miss Peebles will spend her Fulbright year in Germany.

Miss Ross will study the Spanish Language in Equadors and Miss Reichlyn, who completed her requirements in the University Without Walls program at Morgan State, will hold a teaching assistantship, assigned by the French government, in Grenoble, France.

Barclay PTA June 8 bazaar

Barclay Elementary School P.T.A. is holding the Barclay Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 8 on the school playground at 29th and Barclay Streets.

Activities include rides, ponies, games, prizes, crafts, baked goods, white elephant sale, country store, jewelry, books, plants and refreshments.

People wishing to sell their own crafts can rent space for $7 for the entire day. Admission to the Bazaar is 10 cents for children, 15 cents for adults.

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